

b) from about 0.1-60% by weight of a volatile solvent having a viscosity of 0.5 to 100 centipoise at 25° C.,

c) 0.1-60% by weight of a nonvolatile oil having a viscosity of 200 to 1,000,000 centipoise at 25° C.

5 d) 0.1-80% of a cosmetically acceptable carrier.

2. The composition of claim 1 wherein the trimethylated silica has an average particle size of 0.5 to 100 millimicrons.

3. The composition of claim 2 wherein the volatile solvent comprises a cyclic silicone, a C₈₋₂₀ isoparaffin, or mixtures thereof.

10 4. The composition of claim 3 comprising:

a) 0.5-50% trimethylated silica

b) 1-40% of a volatile solvent,

c) 0.1-40% by weight of a nonvolatile oil,

d) 10-70% of a cosmetically acceptable carrier.

15 5. The composition of claim 3 wherein the cosmetically acceptable carrier is a lotion.

6. The composition of claim 3 wherein the cosmetically acceptable carrier is an anhydrous cream.

7. The composition of claim 6 comprising:

a) 1-30% trimethylated silica,

b) 1-40% of a volatile solvent,

c) 0.5-30% nonvolatile oil, and

d) 0.1-70% dry particulate matter.

8. The composition of claim 3 wherein the cosmetically acceptable carrier is a face powder.

9. The composition of claim 8 having the formula:

a) 0.1-60% trimethylated silica,

b) 0.1-60% of a volatile solvent,

c) 0.1-60% nonvolatile oil, and

d) 0.1-80% of a dry particulate matter having 5-50% pigment in the powder phase.

10. The composition of claim 3 wherein the cosmetically acceptable carrier is a mascara.

11. The composition of claim 10 comprising:

a) 0.1-15% trimethylated silica,

b) 0.1-40% of a volatile solvent,

c) 0.1-10% nonvolatile silicone,

d) 0.1-30% dry particulate matter having 5-50% pigment in the particle phase,

e) 0.1-20% film former,

f) 0.1-30% wax,

g) 0.1-10% emulsifier.

12. The composition of claim 3 wherein the cosmetically acceptable carrier is a water and oil emulsion makeup.

13. The composition of claim 12 comprising:

0.1-20% trimethylated silica,

0.1-40% of a volatile solvent,

0.1-25% nonvolatile oil,

0.1-70% dry particulate matter having a pigment to powder ratio of 1:20 to 20:1,

0.1-50% water.

14. The composition of claim 3 wherein the cosmetically acceptable carrier is an eyeshadow.

15. The composition of claim 14 comprising:

0.1-20% trimethylated silica,

0.1-30% volatile solvent,

0.1-40% nonvolatile oil,

0.1-60% dry particulate matter.

16. The composition of claim 3 wherein the cosmetically acceptable carrier is a concealer.

17. The composition of claim 16 comprising:

0.1-15% trimethylated silica,

0.1-40% volatile solvent,

0.1-35% nonvolatile oil,

0.1-40% dry particulate matter.

18. The composition of claim 3 wherein the cosmetically acceptable carrier is a lipstick.

19. The composition of claim 18 comprising:

0.1-60% trimethylated silica,

0.1-60% volatile silicone,

0.1-60% nonvolatile oil,

0.1-80% dry particulate matter, and

0.1-40% wax.